

Great Prayer of Thanksgiving

Pastor: The Lord be with you. **All: And also, with you.**
Pastor: Lift up your hearts. **All: We lift them to the Lord.**
Pastor: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
All: It is right to give our thanks and praise to God.
Pastor: It is right and a good and joyful thing...therefore, we proclaim
the mystery of faith:
**All: Dying you destroyed our death, rising you restored our life,
Lord Jesus, come in glory.**

The Prayers of the People

Maureen St. John, Roxanne Somers, Meg Yanefski, The Family of Ryan McCleery, Sue Hummel, Alan Henry, Damian, Marjorie, The Family of John DeLoatch, Geoffrey Hicks, Gary Grenier, Mildred Haines

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

The Words of Institution

Prayer after Communion

God of grace, you renew us at your table with the bread of life. May this food strengthen us in love and help us to serve you in each other. We ask this in the name of Jesus the Lord.

*Hymn No. 296 "Go in Grace and Make Disciples"

*Benediction

*Benediction Hymn No. 243 "Be Not Afraid"

**"Be not afraid; sing out for joy! Christ is risen, alleluia!
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Postlude "Lord, You Give the Great Commission" - arr. Culli

<i>Thank you to our Worship Servers</i>	
Ushers	Dave Nicastro & Darlene Powell
Liturgist	Suzanne Carson



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10 AM *Worship Service* ❖ *June 4, 2023*
Trinity Sunday
Rev. Drew Harrison

For Prayer & Contemplation

"The truth of human freedom lies in the love that breaks down barriers."

— Jurgen Moltmann

Welcome & Sharing Information

Prelude "All Glory Be to God on High" - arr. Phillips

Call to Worship

One: Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth. Worship the Lord with gladness; come into his presence with singing. Know that the Lord is God.

All: God made us, and we are his; we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture.

*Hymn No. 298 "Lord, You Give the Great Commission"

Prayer of Confession (Hymn #695) "Change My Heart, O God"

Change my heart, O God; make it ever true. Change my heart, O God; may I be like you. You are the potter; I am the clay. Mold me and make me; this is what I pray. (Repeat 1st two lines)

Moment of Silence

Words of Assurance

One: The prophet Micah declares that God's messenger will purify us like gold and silver, until we present gifts of righteousness to the Lord.

All: In Jesus Christ we are forgiven. Thanks be to God!

*Hymn No. 582 "Glory to God, Whose Goodness Shines on Me"

"Glory to God, whose goodness shines on me, and to the Son, whose grace has pardoned me, and to the Spirit, whose love has set me free. As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be. Amen. World without end, without end. Amen. World without end, without end. Amen. World without end, without end. Amen. As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be." Amen.

*Passing of Peace

One: May the Peace of Christ be with you. **All: And also, with you.**

Anthem 100th Anniversary Anthem: "We Are God's Workmanship"
- Jurkiewicz Sanctuary Choir

Time with Children (Dismissal to Sunday School)

Pastor: It is time for you to depart. **Adults: God be with you there.**

Children: God be with you here.

Scripture

1st Reading: *Psalms 8: 1-9* **Old Testament** pg. 492, LP pgs. 605-606

2nd Reading: *Matthew 28: 16-20* **New Testament** pg. 34 LP pg 41

Sermon "The Great Commission" – Rev. Drew Harrison

Installation of Dave Nicastro

*Affirmation of Faith (*The Apostle's Creed*)

One: With the whole church, let us confess our faith. Do you believe in God the Father?

All: I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

One: Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?

All: I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead.

One: Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?

All: I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Prayer of Installation: See Insert

Story of Faith – Chris Montgomery

Offertory

*Doxology No. 606 "Praise God...All Blessings Flow" "Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him all creatures here below. Praise Him above ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen."

*Unison Prayer of Dedication

Good Shepherd, you spread a table before us. We offer you our gifts, signs of your gracious love and tokens of our grateful hearts. Nourish us at the feast of the Lamb, that we may proclaim to all the world your triumphant love in Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

The Sacrament of Communion

Invitation to Communion